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SUBJECT: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS: CUBA'S ROLE IN THE NON-ALIGNED
MOVEMENT

REF: STATE 055740

1. IN DISCUSSION BETWEEN DCM AND FOREIGN SECRETARY BHATT
MARCH 9 ON OTHER MATTERS, BHATT REFERRED TO NON-ALIGNED
MOVEMENT, AND DCM TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THIS OPENING TO NOTE
SOME REPORTS OF DISSATISFACTION WITHIN NON-ALIGNED OVER
CUBAN ACTIVITIES IN AFRICA. BHATT VOLUNTEERED THAT "THAT
WAS ONE OF THE MAIN POINTS YUGOSLAV VICE PRESIDENT WANTED
TO DISCUSS WITH US WHEN HE WAS HERE", ADDING THAT YUGOSLAVS
ARE CONCERNED OVER POSSIBLE DIVISIVE EFFECTS OF THIS ISSUE
AT BELGRADE NAM CONFERENCE. BHATT WENT ON TO SAY THAT "A
CUBAN" HAD BEEN IN KATHMANDU LAST WEEK TO DISCUSS SAME
SUBJECT;, BUT BHATT HAD BEEN TIED UP WITH INDIA-NEPAL TRADE
AND TRANSIT TALKS AND SO HAD NOT BEEN ABLE TO MEET HIM.
UNDERSECRETARY BHINDA SHAH HAD MET THE CUBAN, BUT BHATT
SAID HE HAD NOT HAD FULL REPORT ON THE MEETING.

2. WE WILL TRY TO FOLLOW UP DISCREETLY ON THIS
AS OPPORTUNITY ALLOWS.
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